

## NEW CAPTAIN FOR COLLEGE TEAM

B. West Tabb Elected in Place of Captain Cammack.

GOOD MATERIAL PLENTIFUL.

The Men Are Playing Snappy Ball and Will Give a Good Account of Themselves—Varsity Game on Wednesday the 10th.

In the hard-fought game with Hampden-Sidney last fall Captain Cammack sustained injuries from which effects are still annoying and he is compelled to leave the field. At a regular meeting of the team on Thursday, Mr. Benj. West Tabb was chosen by the men to captain them. Mr. Tabb, with an experience of seven years in football, is perhaps as well fitted for his position as a captain could be. In



B. WEST TABB.  
(Captain Richmond College Team.)

losing Mr. Cammack the Sidneys lose an ideal captain. In selecting Mr. Tabb the Sidneys secure a good one.

Manager Robert N. Pollard has given out the following schedule for the football team:

October 10th—University of Virginia, at Charlottesville.

October 13th—Randolph-Macon, at Richmond.

October 16th—Virginia Military Institute, at Lexington.

October 22nd—Washington and Lee, at Lexington.

October 27th—St. Albans, at Richmond.

November 3rd—Blacksburg, at Richmond.

November 6th—Hampden-Sidney, at Hampden-Sidney.

November 24th—William and Mary, at Richmond.

INTERVIEW WITH MR. KENNA.

Coach Kenna gives the following interview to our reporter:

"In giving you a general review of our work, I just wish to say that I think the prospects of the team are good. While the men are light and inexperienced, they are a willing lot and have a capacity for work that promises well for success. The rough edges are gradually wearing off. The plays are gradually becoming a team and precision that a fast football team shows. In a few days the team will be in good working order."

"The line will be light, but the men are quick and muscular, and will make up in precision and quickness what they lack in pure beef. Carney, Massey and Ander-

ton are the aspirants for center. Carney, while very light for the position, is active and has the advantage of experience. Anderson is a new man who is showing up well. He has weight and strength. His newness at the game is wearing off and his improvement has been rapid. Massey plays a steady game, but is a bit inaccurate in passing to quarter."

"At guard, Prince is making a good showing. He has the true spirit of the game and works hard. He is not quite aggressive enough, but that will come in time. Wood and Anderson, Powell, Valentine, are other aspirants for these positions. Valentine needs a good deal of waking up, but he has the weight and strength, but he has the weight and strength to make a good one. At tackle McConnell is putting up a fast, hard game. He tackle well and has the football knack of being in the right place at the right time. He interferes with the other fellow's way. He interferes with the other fellow's way. He interferes with the other fellow's way."

"Boatwright, Roe, and Goodwin are a trio that promise well. At end there is a wealth of good, fast material. Captain Tabb, Elyson, Broadus, Staples, Poinsett, Kerfoot, and Hundley are a good lot to pick from. Broadus is a good man, but a little slow. Tabb plays with a dash that is bound to show, and Elyson makes a fast partner for him."

"At quarter, Hockles and Owen are the most promising candidates. Hockles is the heavier, and a little less likely to fumble, but both men show good form, and both have good heads for managing the playing of the team."

"At half Pollard and Lankford, with the two Prayers, are a lot of men hard to beat. Lankford, particularly, plays a fierce, hard game. He hits the line well, runs well behind interference, and tackle and low. He is a very promising player. Pollard plays the same kind of a game as Lankford, but has the advantage of years. Both these men are going to do well. The two Prayers, while new at the game, are good men, who work well and play fast, snappy ball. At full back we have Sanford, the heaviest man of the team. His line-bucking possibilities are tremendous, and in the interference it should be a wall. Broadus has also been playing for but has not Sanford's weight of kicking abilities."

"You can see from these men that there is a very great likelihood that we

have a very good team. Any way, the colleges of the State will do well to look to their laurels, for the boys are after them, and will make a great try for them."

OULLA PODRIDA.

The college boys must sustain among its various side issues an annual, monthly, and a weekly publication. Richmond, up well in the lead of our Southern schools, has begun the publication of a weekly. The Oulla, Podrida, review of the college life—athletics, social, and academic. The paper enters upon its second half session with good prospects, and with Mr. Robert N. Pollard as editor-in-chief, the paper will prove an ornament to the college.

BASE-BALL.

Yesterday's Scores.

New York, 4; Boston, 1.

Brooklyn, 8; Philadelphia, 6.

St. Louis, 4; Pittsburgh, 3.

Cincinnati—Chicago (called end of first inning, rain).

Standing of the Clubs.

Club: Won. Lost. P. C.

Brooklyn..... 51 52 .699

Pittsburgh..... 74 58 .561

Philadelphia..... 72 62 .537

Boston..... 69 69 .452

Chicago..... 62 73 .463

St. Louis..... 59 74 .444

Cincinnati..... 58 77 .430

Where They Play To-Day.

Pittsburgh at St. Louis.

Cincinnati at Chicago.

Where They Play Monday.

Brooklyn at Philadelphia.

Boston at New York.

St. Louis, 4; Pittsburgh, 3.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 6.—Pittsburgh's field day yesterday had evidently unfitted the players for baseball to-day. Fourteen men were tried out but could not save the day.

Score: Pittsburgh..... 6 100 200 000—4 8 1

St. Louis..... 0 000 000 000—0 3 13

Batteries—Lewer and Zimmer; Powell and Criger. Time, 2:30. Umpire, Swartwood. Attendance, 1,000.

Brooklyn, 8; Philadelphia, 6.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 6.—Brooklyn defeated Philadelphia by better fielding. Both pitchers were effective, but McGinnity was the staidier at critical stages.

Score: Brooklyn..... 0 20 10 000—8 17 0

Philadelphia..... 0 000 10 000—2 6 13

Batteries—McGinnity and Farrell; Fraser and McFarland. Time, 2 hours. Umpire, Hurst. Attendance, 4,300.

New York, 4; Boston, 1.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—In a pitchers' battle the New Yorks beat the Bostonians at the Polo Grounds again to-day.

Score: New York..... 0 020 000 111—4 4 4

Boston..... 0 000 000 000—1 5 2

Batteries—Nichols and Sullivan; Mercer and Grady. Umpire, Snyder. Time, 1:45. Attendance, 8,800.

The Game Called.

CHICAGO, October 6.—The Cincinnati-Chicago game was called in the last half of the second inning on account of rain. Each team scored one run in the first inning.

THE CAD THE WINNER.

Ridden by His Owner He Captured the Steeplechase at Morris Park.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, October 6.—The Cad, ridden by his owner, Mr. Smith, won the champion steeplechase at Morris Park to-day over the trying distance of three miles and a half. This was the feature of the day's racing, and it resulted in a stirring struggle. Summary:

First race—seven furlongs—Rush (5 to 1) first, Godfrey (15 to 1) and 3 to 5 second, Joe Frey (9 to 2) third. Time, 1:28 3/4.

Second race—The Hunter Handicap—one mile—Onidee Queen (5 to 1) first, Kilashanda (even) and 2 to 5 second, Kamara (7 to 2) third. Time, 1:42 1/2.

Third race—Nursery Handicap—Eclipse course—six furlongs—Bellaria (7 to 2) first, Water Color (7 to 1) and 7 to 2 second, Beau Gallant (4 to 1) third. Time, 1:19 1/2.

Fourth race—The Champion Steeplechase—three miles and one-half miles—The Cad (15 to 1) first, Plato (6 to 5) and 1 to 2 second, Perion (15 to 1) third. Time, 7:12.

Fifth race—six furlongs—selling—Rolling Boer (6 to 2) first, Himself (8 to 1) and 3 to 1 second, Billionaire (8 to 1) third. Time, 1:11 1/4.

Sixth race—one mile—Kinnicknick (7 to 1) first, Douro (5 to 2) and 2 to 5 second, The Amazon (7 to 2) third. Time, 1:41 1/4.

LUCILLE'S FAST TIME.

Went the Mile to Wagon in 2:07 Driven by an Amateur.

(By Associated Press.)

LEXINGTON, Ky., October 6.—The track was in fine shape and very fast this afternoon. Lucille, the fast road mare owned by C. K. Billings, of Chicago, went to beat her record of 2:09 1/4 to wagon, and finishing the mile in 2:07 1/2, securing a new mark for herself and the world's trotting record, driven by an amateur.

The Johnson, 2:24, trotting; purse, \$2,000—Contralto won three straight heats and the race; Bay Star, second; Joe Watts, third. Time, 2:30, 2:19 1/4, 2:12 1/2.

2:06 Lucille, 2:07—Edith W won the fourth and fifth heats and the race; Flirt, second, winning first heat; Choral, third. The Maid won second heat. Time, 2:07 1/2, 2:07 1/2, 2:06, 2:08 1/2, 2:06 1/2.

Mrs. Hennepe—So your husband tells you fair tales when he comes in late of nights.

Mrs. Wiegner—Fair tales? I should say not. He's too smart to waste his time on fairy tales. He tells me Chinese stories, because they're half true—Syracuse Herald.

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## PROMISING YEAR FOR FOOTBALL

Strong Team at the Virginia Military Institute.

PLAYS HERE WITH GEORGETOWN

The Blacksburg Eleven Promises to Show Up Well—They Will Play the College Hero on November 3d.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

LEXINGTON, Va., October 6.—Football at the Virginia Military Institute is progressing very rapidly now, and the cadets have prospects for a fine team this fall.

The season will be opened with Washington and Lee on October 13th, and the latter's grounds, and the cadets are now spending half of their forty minutes practice each evening in perfecting their defensive formation, against a very strong second team. Forty men have responded to Captain Rollins' call for candidates since the 1st of September. Seven of last year's team are working hard for their place this year. They are (Capt.) Roller, at quarter-back, who is a very powerful man on the defensive and offensive; Miller, at full-back, who is a hard, aggressive player, though at present lacks experience at this position, but can always gain his ground when carrying the ball; Wright, at center, is a good, strong man, and has shown much improvement the past two weeks.

MANY APPLICANTS.

For the other positions on the team there are many applicants, all of whom are working hard, and it is going to be a very difficult matter to select the best men. Tucker, Wise and Marshall have been playing at ends, being all good men, but the preference is a little in favor of the two former. Martin, Milton, Salley, Johnson, Lee and more are the most prominent men at tackles. Hawn and Caggett, both last year's substitutes, have improved their game very much, and would do credit to any place they play. Lettwin, one of the year's finds, is playing Coach Walker's position at guard, being very strong and nervy.

Hudgins and Perry are both doing some brilliant work for the second team, and would be fitting substitutes for any place in the back field. Other applicants are Ryland, Koller, Elliot, Mullin, Desteiger, Norton and Whitting.

On Saturday, November 11th, the cadets will play their annual game with Georgetown University in Richmond, and a close and interesting contest is expected.

On Thanksgiving Day they will play their first contest from Blacksburg, in Norfolk, this game being the first between them since the fall of 1896.

SCHEDULE OF GAMES.

Saturday, October 6th, V. M. I. vs. — at Lexington, Va.

Saturday, October 12th, V. M. I. vs. W. and L. University, at Lexington, Va.

Saturday, October 20th, V. M. I. vs. Richmond College, at Lexington, Va.

Wednesday, October 24th, V. M. I. vs. University of Virginia, at Lexington, Va.

Saturday, October 27th, V. M. I. vs. Roanoke College, at Lexington, Va.

Saturday, November 3d, V. M. I. vs. St. Albans School, at Lexington, Va.

Saturday, November 10th, V. M. I. vs. Georgetown University, at Richmond, Va.

Saturday, November 17th, V. M. I. vs. W. and L. University, at Lexington, Va.

Saturday, November 24th, V. M. I. vs. University of Maryland, at Lexington, Va.

Thanksgiving, November 28th, V. M. I. vs. Va. Poly. Inst., at Norfolk, Va.

BLACKSBURG ELEVEN.

A Stronger Team Probably Than That of Last Year.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

BLACKSBURG, Va., October 6.—Football is the topic of all absorbing interest here now. Owing to the late opening of the Institute, the candidates for the team have only within the last week gotten down to hard, straight football, but the men are working with untiring energy, and are fast getting into "Varsity shape."

The discouragement which was manifested in college circles a few days ago seems to have given away to perfect confidence in the men who are struggling for a regular position on the first eleven and the coaches who guide their efforts.

While several of last year's strongest players are not here this year, there is an abundance of new material, and, on the whole, the outlook for the season promises well. Fourteen of last year's "Varsity" and scrub eleven are on the grounds, and there are twenty-two new applicants. Thirty-six candidates were transferred to the training table to-day. Dr. Eugene Davis, head coach of the team, is a very promising candidate.

J. B. Huffard, captain and full back, who made an enviable reputation at half back last year. He is fast and nervy, always has his head with him and is a line-plunger to delight a crowd's heart.

W. F. Cox, ex-captain of the team of '99, will hold his old position at tackle. He has had three years' experience on the "Varsity eleven," and is able to give a good account of himself in any company.

L. L. Jewel is another of the veterans who will do business at the old stand—end. He is a heavy player, a vicious tackler and one of the fastest men on the field.

C. H. Carpenter, last year's full back, will undoubtedly play the other end. He has good weight, good judgment, and makes his hundred yards in ten and a fraction.

SURE GROUND-GAINER.

H. G. McCormick will play right half back. "Mac" played a tackle last year, and played it well. He is a sure ground-gainer, and a holy terror on defensive work.

C. J. B. DeCamps, last year's star quarter, will hold his same position. He can size up his opponent on the jump, and is one of the very fastest quarters in the business.

R. W. Carper is holding down his old position at guard.

The most promising new men are Steele, a last year's sub, and Stiles, who are playing each other hard for center. Abbott and Fractor are arguing over guard, Cunningham, Miles, Wash and Mann are trying for tackle, and there's more than one good one in the bunch. Osterbink, McCulloch, Ware, Nepp, Begg, Gill and Goldman are for half backs, Beverly and Ware for quarter, Shaner, Crowe, Richardson, Spiller and Longley for ends.

Manager Powell has arranged the following schedule of games.

October 6th, St. Albans at Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

October 10th, open.

October 13th, Roanoke College at Salem, Va.

October 17th, open.

October 20th, St. Albans at Radford, Va.

October 24th, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, N. C.

October 28th, Agricultural and Mechanical College of North Carolina at Raleigh, N. C.

November 3d, Richmond College at Richmond, Va.

November 7th, open.

November 10th, Guilford College at Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

November 17th, open.

November 24th, Washington and Lee at Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

November 28th, Virginia Military Institute at Roanoke, Va.

The date for the University of Virginia game is not yet definitely settled upon, but the game will be played some time in November at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute. Additional games with the Universities of Maryland and Tennessee will also be arranged in November.

V. P. I., 23; St. Albans, 0.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

BLACKSBURG, Va., October 6.—The football season was inaugurated at Blacksburg to-day by a game between the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and St. Albans from Radford, Va., in which the latter were defeated 23 to 0. There was quite an enthusiastic crowd of rooters very evenly divided in favors. The day was exceedingly warm, and good, straight football was an impossibility. Varsity teams were given a chance to show their skill during the game, and remarkably well did the men show it.

The goals were crossed by Carpenter, Huffard and McCormick for Virginia Polytechnic Institute. The best playing was by Carpenter, Miles, Abbott, Huffard and Cox. For St. Albans Baird, Ingles, Monger and Bagly did the best work.

N. C. University, 38; Morgantown, 0.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., Oct. 6.—The first football game of the season. University of North Carolina, 38; Morgantown, 0.

NORFOLK FAIR CLOSES.

Track Was Fine and Excellent Sport Was Furnished.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

NORFOLK, Va., October 6.—Excellent sport was furnished to-day, the closing day of the Virginia State Fair and fall race meet. The track was in excellent condition. Attendance was small, owing to insufficient advertising. Summary:

First race, 2:30 trot; purse, \$500.—Paddy McGregor, 2:30 (trot), 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2.

Belting, B. m. (trot), 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2.

Quitzel, B. s. (Newbury), 2:33 1/2, 2:33 1/2, 2:33 1/2.

Andis Pedler, B. m. (Tyson), 4:42 1/2, 4:42 1/2, 4:42 1/2.

Ella Lee, B. m. (distanced), 3:55 1/2, 3:55 1/2, 3:55 1/2.

Time, 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2.

This race was unfinished yesterday. Results are reported as though all heats were run to-day.

Second race, 2:15 pace; purse, \$500.—Master Gilbert, B. m. (sire not given), 2:11 1/2, 2:11 1/2, 2:11 1/2.

Rose Electric, B. m. (Ryan), 2:11 1/2, 2:11 1/2, 2:11 1/2.

Walter S. B. g. (Kane), 1:33 1/2, 1:33 1/2, 1:33 1/2.

Nina Noble, B. m. (Fahney), distanced, 2:22 1/2, 2:22 1/2, 2:22 1/2.

Time, 2:22 1/2, 2:22 1/2, 2:22 1/2, 2:22 1/2.

Third race, 2:30 trot; purse, \$500.—Crow, B. g. (sire Ruyter), 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2.

Joe Sam, B. g. (Kane), 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2.

Streeter, B. g. (Gray), 2:33 1/2, 2:33 1/2, 2:33 1/2.

Marie, B. m. (Boss), 3:44 1/2, 3:44 1/2, 3:44 1/2.

Time, 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2, 2:31 1/2.

Over the last race run by the Richmond horse track, owned by Ira C. Nelson, there was tremendous excitement. Crow finished fourth in the first heat, but won the three succeeding heats and the race in a rush. Crow was quietly backed by the talent to win, but much of the crowd was up and on the Fair Secretary Dillon's Too Soon, who finished a particularly close second in every heat. Crow won several heats by a nose, and a short nose at that.

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Richmond, Va., October 6th.

Speakers and places of speaking are announced as follows:

JOHN W. DANIEL.

Page Court, October 13th.

Rockingham Court, October 15th.

Liberty Hall, October 20th, 11 A. M.

Washington Court, October 23d.

Bristol, October 24th (night).

Buchanan Court, October 25th.

Clintwood, October 25th, 1 P. M.

Big Stone Gap, Oct. 25th, 1 P. M. (barbecue).

Boydton, October 29th.

Petersburg, October 29th.

Emporia, October 31st.